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SUBJECT: ALLEGED U.S. SUPPORT FOR MONTONERO POLITICAL
MOVEMENT

REFS: (A) STATE 224833 AND (B) BUENOS AIRES 6317

1. IF ASKED ABOUT REMARKS ATTRIBUTED TO BRADY TYSON,
EMBASSY SHOULD STATE THAT:
 - A) THESE ALLEGED REMARKS DO NOT IN ANY SENSE REPRESENT
THE POSITION OF THE U.S. GOVERNMENT;
 - B) WE DO NOT KNOW WHETHER THE REMARKS ATTRIBUTED TO TYSON
ARE REPORTED ACCURATELY; (FYI--WE ARE INVESTIGATING THE
CIRCUMSTANCES).
 - C) THE USG STRONGLY ENDORSES THE PRINCIPLE OF NON-
INTERVENTION IN THE INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF OTHER STATES; AND
 - D) THE USG IS NOT PREPARED TO DEAL WITH TERRORIST ORGAN-
IZATIONS; THERE HAVE BEEN CLEAR AND SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS

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IN EFFECT FOR A CONSIDERABLE PERIOD AGAINST CONTACTS
BETWEEN U.S. OFFICIALS AND THE MONTONEROS.

2. EMBASSY MAY USE FOREGOING INFORMATION AT ITS DISCRETION

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